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AND OFFSET

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1. EMBOFF INFORMED WIECK OF U.S. INTENTION TO REVISE
PAGE 6 OF REF C TO GIVE FULL CREDIT TO U.S./FRG OFFSET
AGREEMENT AND ADDED EXPRESSION OF REGRET PER REF A -
PARA 3. WIECK VOICED APPRECIATION FOR THIS PROMPT
AND HELPFUL U.S. ACTION.

2. WIECK CONTACTED EMBOFF FOLLOWING INITIAL CONVERSA-
TION TO READ LATEST REVISED LANGUAGE OF PAGE 6 -
REF C - IN HIS POSSESSION, WHICH APPARENTLY STATES THAT
GERMAN AUTHORITIES CONSIDER THAT OFFSET AGREEMENT
COVERED U.S. BOP DEFICIT IN FRG, ETC. WIECK SAID THIS
LATEST LANGUAGE UNHELPFUL.

3. EMBOFF SAID HE ASSUMED THE ABOVE LANGUAGE HAD PRE-
DATED NEW WASHINGTON GUIDANCE AND RECOMMENDED THAT
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FRG NATO DEL CONTACT U.S. NATO IN ORDER TO WORK OUT

MUTUALLY SATISFACTORY LANGUAGE.

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